ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 3, 2009 the response to which is due August 3, 2009. Applicant herewith petitions the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to extend the time for reply for three months to August 3, 2009. The extension fees will be paid by credit card with this electronic transmission.

Applicant respectfully requests that the amendment be entered and the application be reconsidered and the claims allowed. Applicant submits herewith a complete listing of all of the claims.

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